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University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, USA

B.S. (1957) and M.S. (1961) Mech. Engrg. Cheng Kung University, Taiwan, Republic of China

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1966 - present Assistant professor, Associate Professor, Professor

Department of Mechanical Engineering, U.S. Naval Academy

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Whiting School of Engineering, The Johns Hopkins University

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University of Maryland

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Society of Mechanical Engineers
American Society of Engineering Education
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JOURNAL EDITORIAL SERVICES

Editor-in-Chief

International Journal of Energy Systems (1992 -1993)

International Journal of Power and Energy Systems (1993 -1997)

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International Journal of Energy, Environment and Economics (1997 - present)

Editorial Advisory Board

Applied Thermal Engineering (1994 - present)

Energy Conversion and Management (1994 - 1999)

International Journal of Energy, Environment and Economics (1995 - present)

International Journal of Exergy (1999 - present)

HONORS AND AWARDS (past eight years)

U.S. Naval Academy Research Excellence Award, 1991.

Meritorious Civilian Service Award, Department of the U.S. Navy, 1991.

Researcher of the Year, Department of Mechanical Engineering, U.S. Naval Academy, 1991.

Service Award, JETS (Junior Engineering and Technology Society), 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995.

Teaching Excellence Award, Whiting Engineering School, the Johns Hopkins University, 1994.

Teaching Excellence, Department of Mechanical Engineering, U.S. Naval Academy, 1994.

Teaching Excellence (Honorable Mention), U.S. Naval Academy, 1994.

Contribution Award, CAPA (Chinese American Professional Association), 1994.

Contribution Award, U.S. Naval Academy, 1995.

Outstanding Publication Award, The Johns Hopkins University, 1995.

U.S. Navy 30 years Service Award, 1996.

Contribution Award, U.S. Naval Academy, 1996.

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Contribution Award, U.S. Naval Academy, 1997.

Gratitude (Thank you Professor Wu), International J. of Power and Energy Systems, 17(3), 1997.

Outstanding Alumni Award, National Cheng Kung University Alumni Foundation, 1999.

PUBLICATIONS

More than 700 publications from 1966 to present in books (3), journal articles (350), conference papers (328), book reviews (15), paper reviews (89), and research reports (38) in the areas of thermodynamics, fluid mechanics, heat transfer, alternative energy, direct energy conversion, shipboard air conditioning systems, lubrication, fire technology, statistics, computer aided instruction, and computer education.

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Books

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2. Recent Advances in Finite-time Thermodynamics, Nova Science Publ., Inc., New York, ISBN 1-56072-664-4, 1999.

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- 3. A first order simulation model for shipboard absorption chillers, *International Journal of Power and Energy Systems*, **14**(l), 1-4, 1994.
- 4. Specific heating load of thermoelectric heat pumps, *Energy Conversion and Management*, **35**(6), 459-464, 1994.
- 5. Evaluation of shipboard alternate steam production options from engine waste, *International Journal of Power and Energy Systems*, **14**(2), 49-53, 1994.
- 6. Clarification of finite-time thermodynamic cycle analysis, *International Journal of Power and Energy Systems*, **14**(2), 68-71, 1994.
- 7. Power potential of a terrestrial solar-radiant Stirling heat engine, *International Journal of Ambient Energy*, **15**(3), 131-140, 1994.
- 8. Naval ship waste heat recovery, *International Journal of Power and Energy Systems*, **14**(3), 84-86, 1994.
- 9. Performance of a geothermal heat driven heat pump system, *Energy: The International Journal*, **19**(12), 1219-1224, 1994.
- 10. The effect of combustion on a power optimized endoreversible Dual cycle, *International Journal of Power and Energy Systems*, **14**(3), 98-103, 1994.
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- 12. Maximum obtainable power of a Carnot combined power plant, *International Journal of Ambient Energy*, **15**(4), 351-355, 1995.
- 13. Design considerations of primary performances for irreversible refrigeration cycles, *International Journal of Ambient Energy*, **16**(1), 17-22, 1995.
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- 28. Performance of a regenerative Brayton heat engine, *Energy: The International Journal*, **21**(2), 71-76, 1996.
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